

PATENT APPLICATION

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
TECHNOLOGY CENTER ART UNIT 1751**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Michael H. SCHMITT

Application No.: 10/058,398

Filed: January 30, 2002

For: PROCEDURE FOR REMOVING A WATER-INSOLUBLE FINISH FROM ARAMIDE
FIBERS

Group Art Unit: 1751

Examiner: P. Kumar

Docket No.: 111225

REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the September 9, 2003 Office Action, reconsideration of the rejections are respectfully requested in light of the following remarks.